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For: USE OF MONOAMINE OXIDASE
INHIBITORS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF
DRUGS INTENDED FOR THE TREATMENT
OF OBESITY

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the specification:

At page 1, please replace the title with the following rewritten title:

--USE OF MONOAMINE OXIDASE INHIBITORS FOR THE TREATMENT OF OBESITY--

Please replace the abstract page immediately following the claims with the following rewritten abstract:

--ABSTRACT

The present invention relates to the use of reversible selective inhibitors of monoamine oxidase A (MAO-A), reversible selective inhibitors of monoamine oxidase B (MAO-B) or reversible mixed inhibitors of MAO-A and MAO-B for the treatment of obesity.--

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 1-11, cancel claim 12, and add new claims 13-23 as follows before calculating the filing fee for the above-identified application.

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